

100

(110)

selectively thermally couple the recording medium and a heat source to alter a chemical composition of the recording medium

End

Figure 1,

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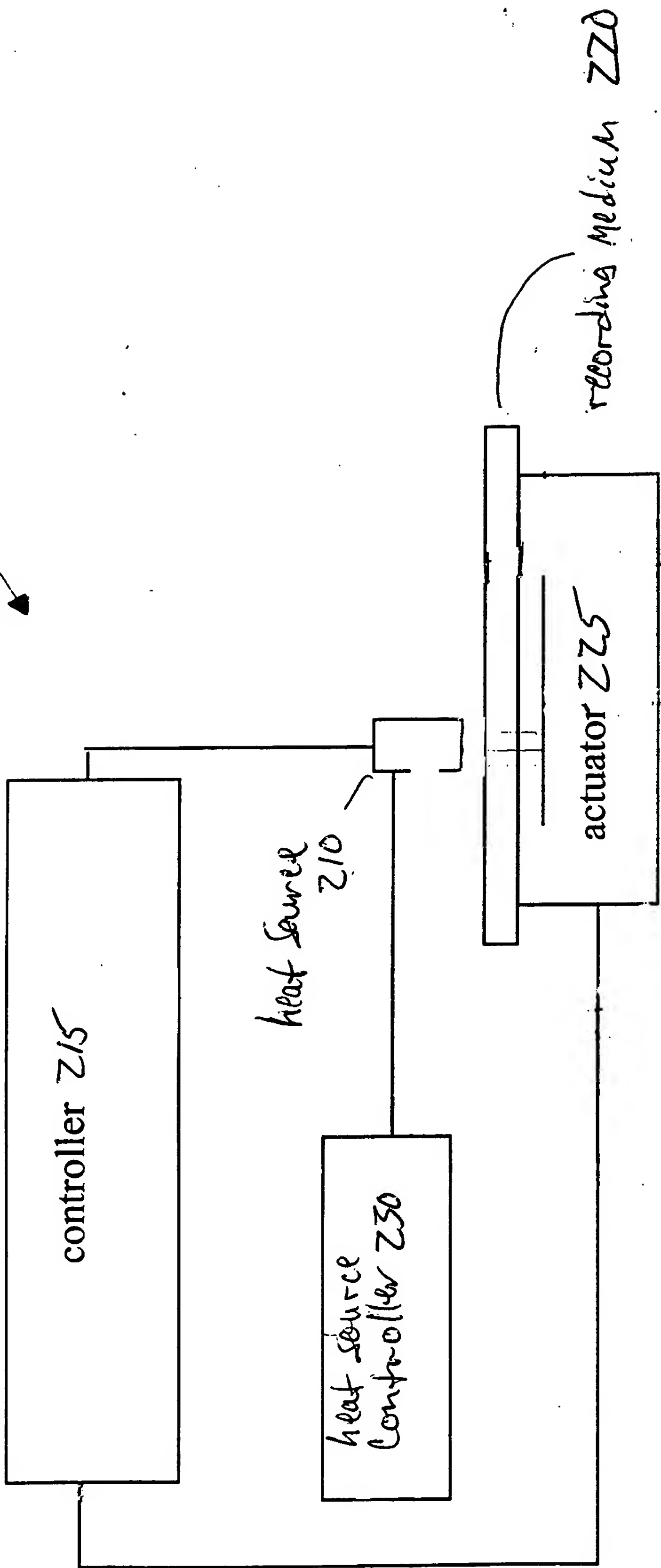
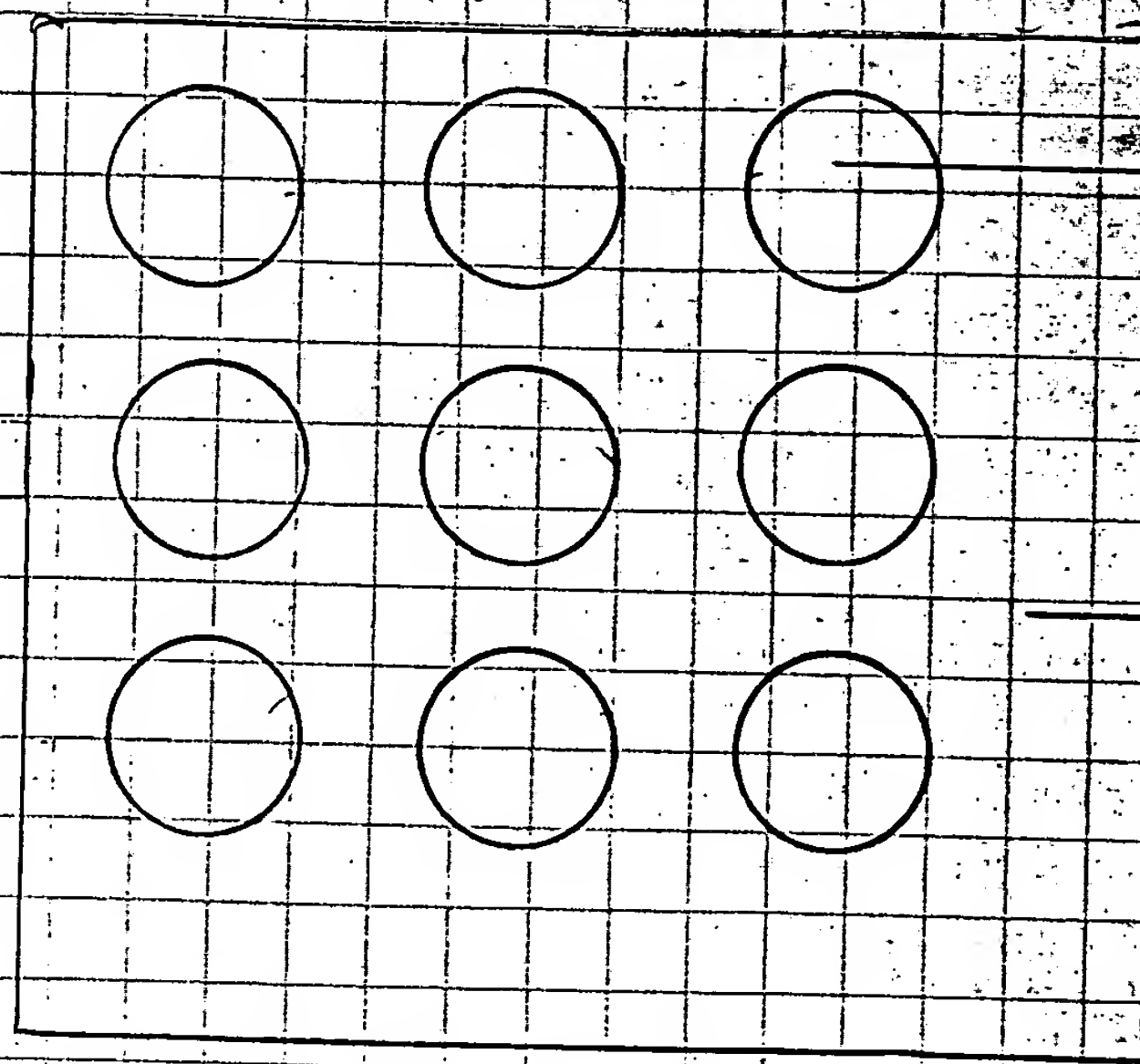


Fig. 2A

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Figure 2B

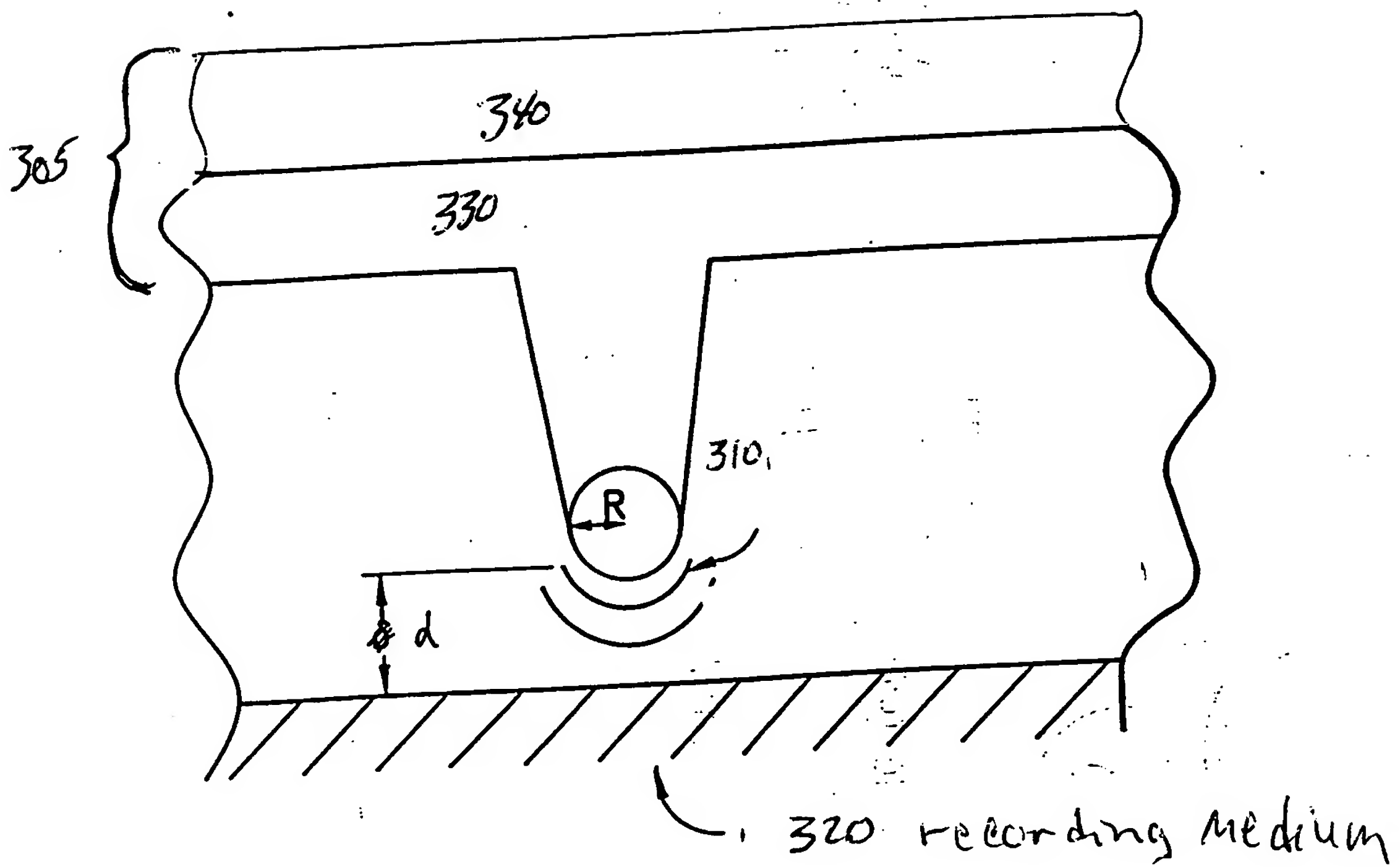


FIG. 3

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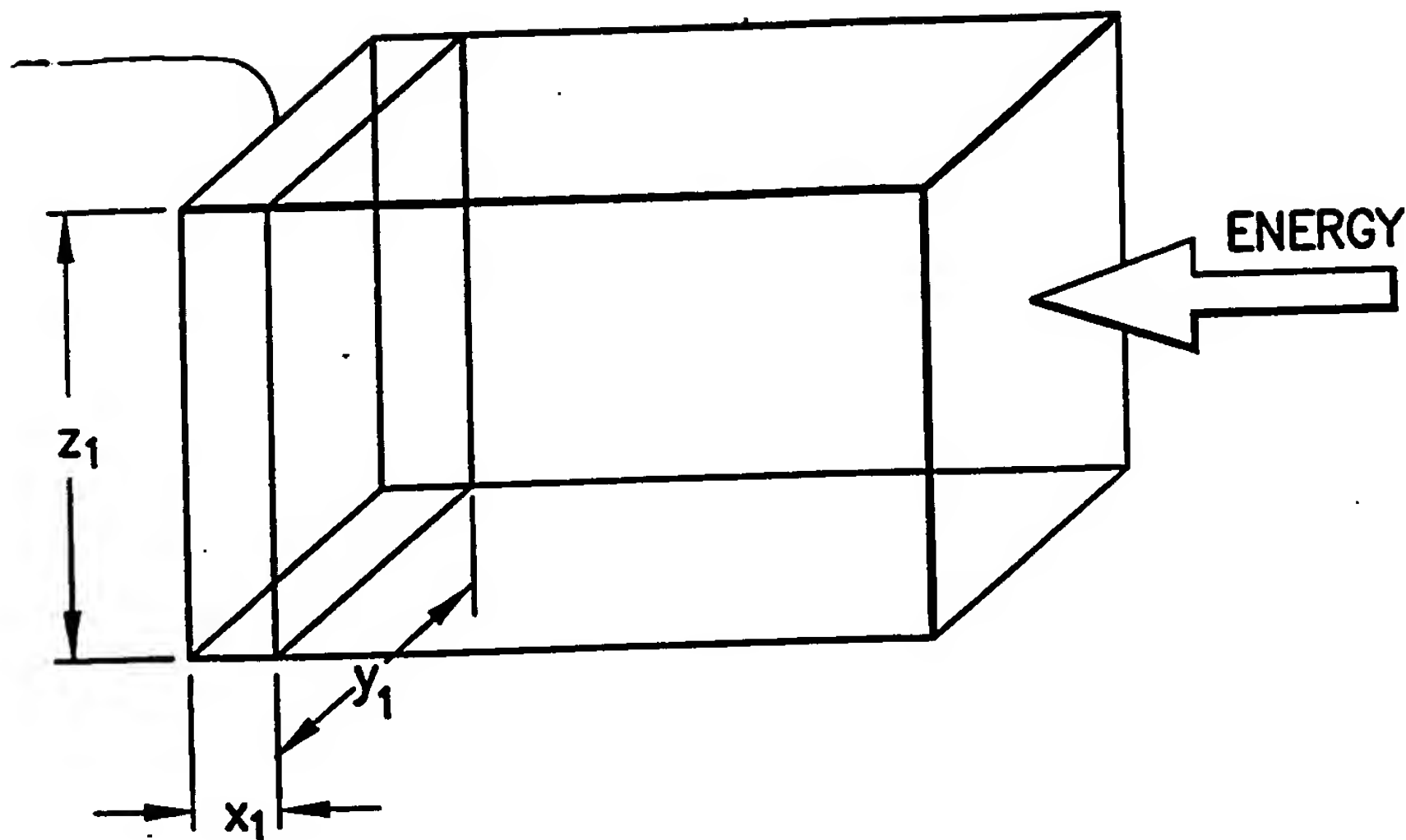


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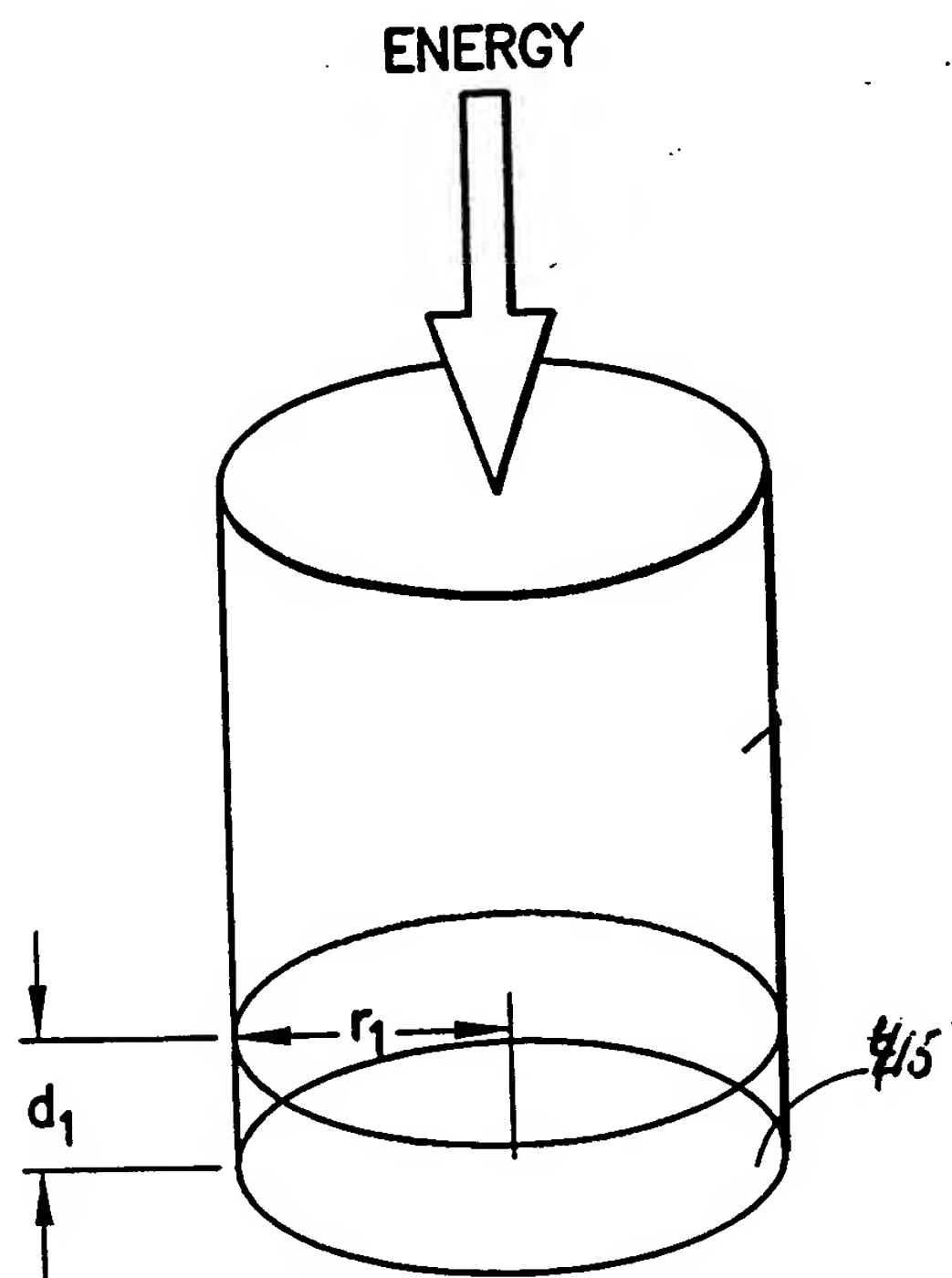


FIG. 4B

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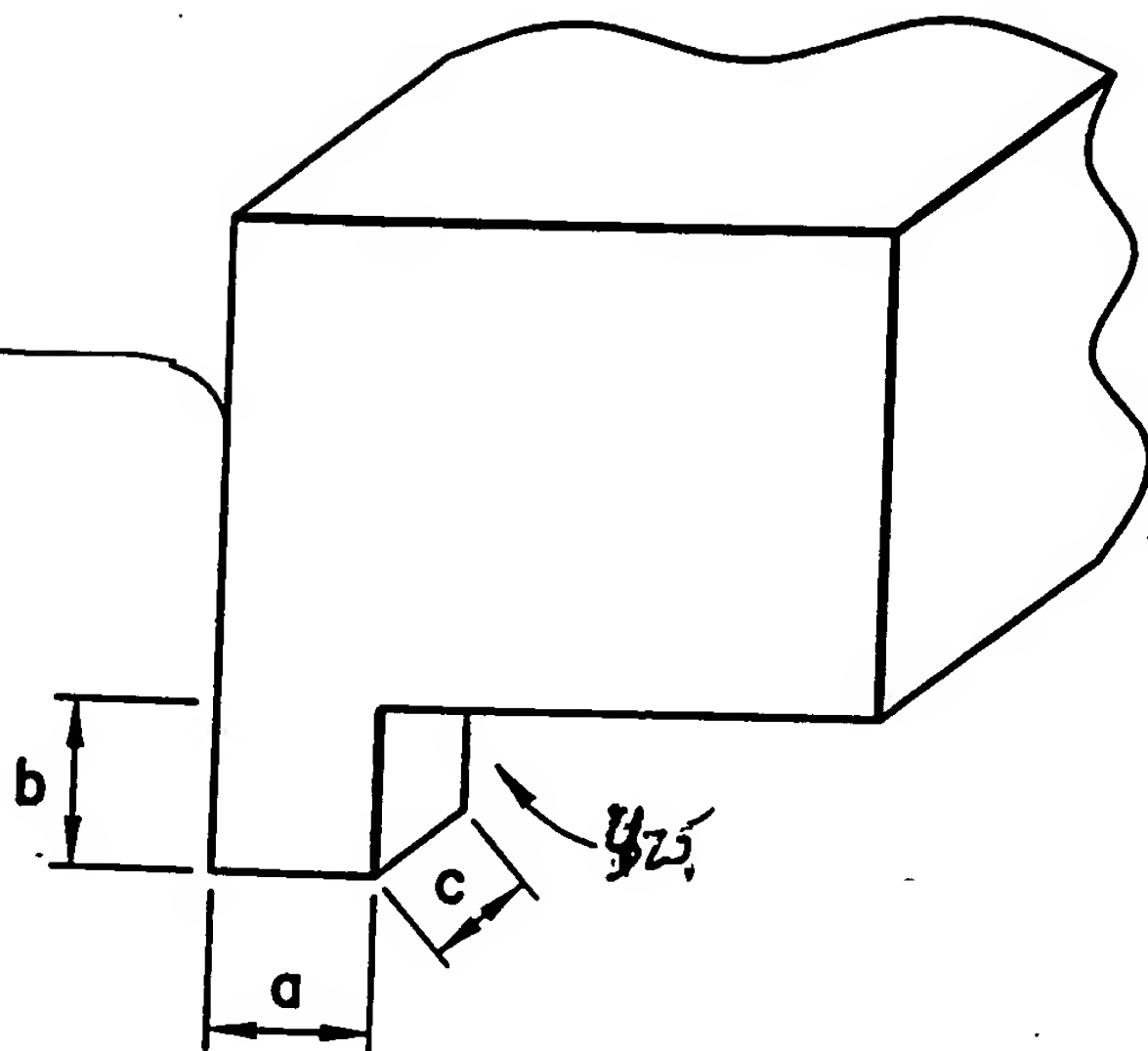


FIG. 4C

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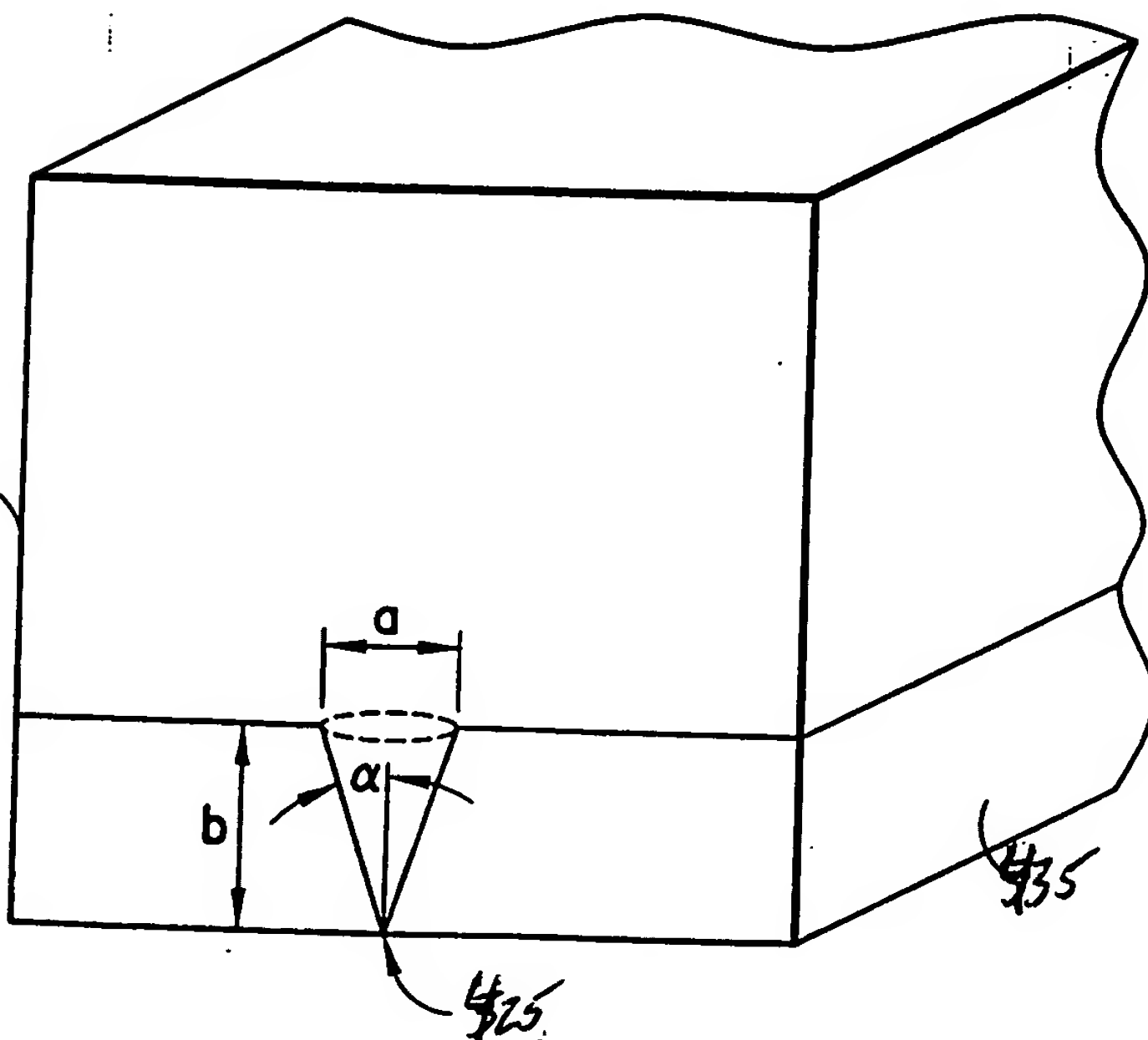


FIG. 4D



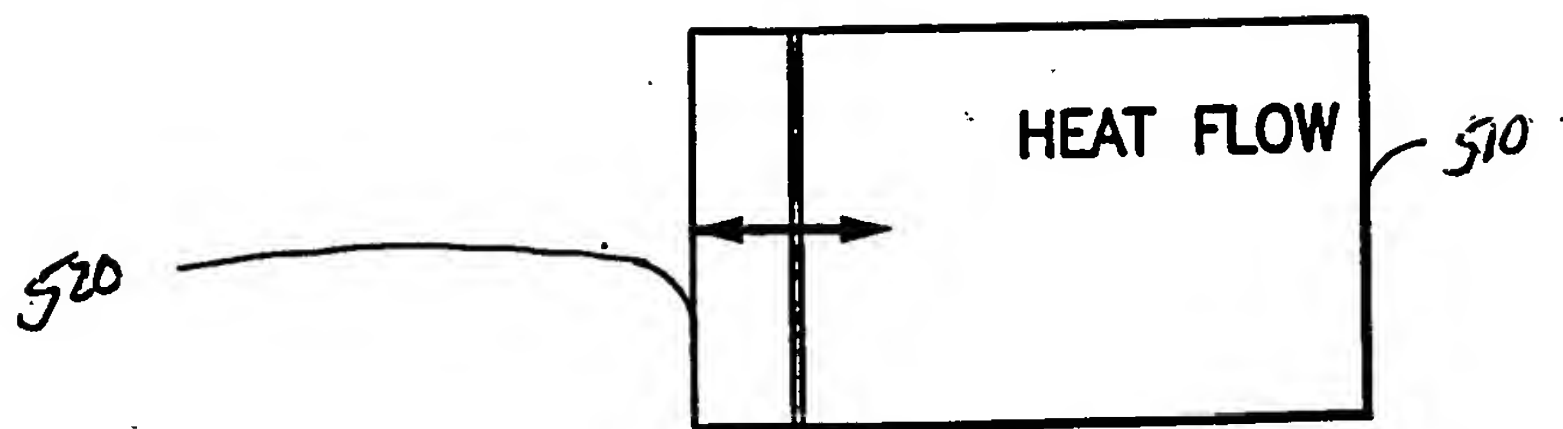


FIG. 5A

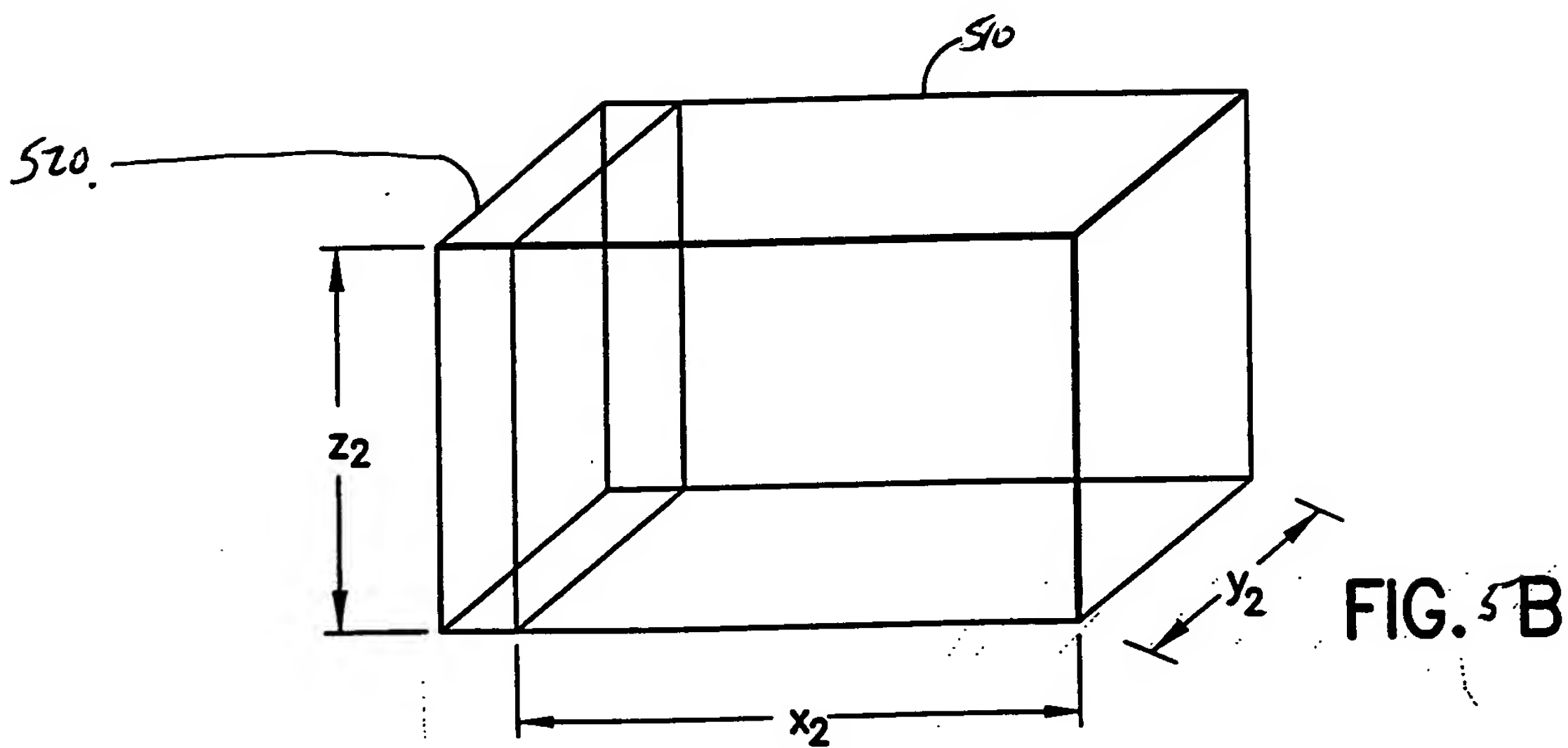


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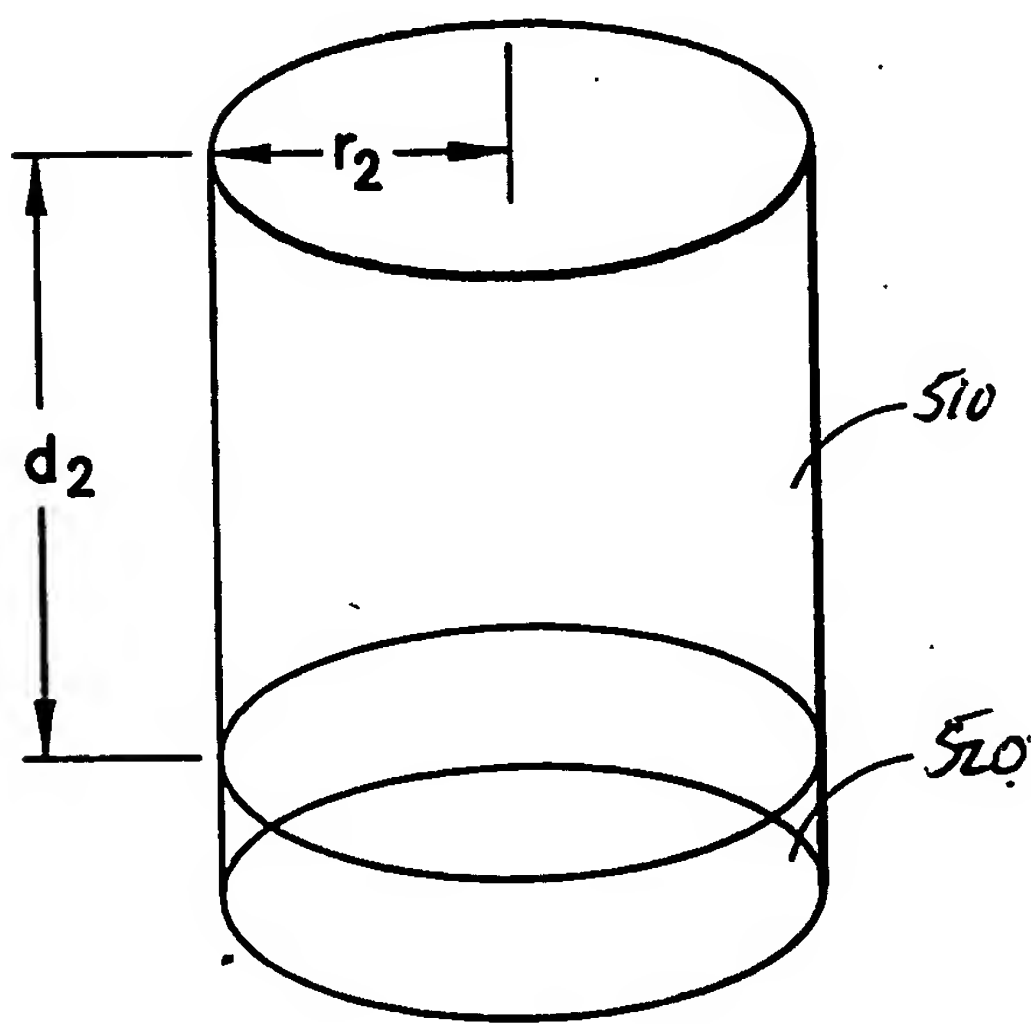


FIG. 5C

FIG. 6A

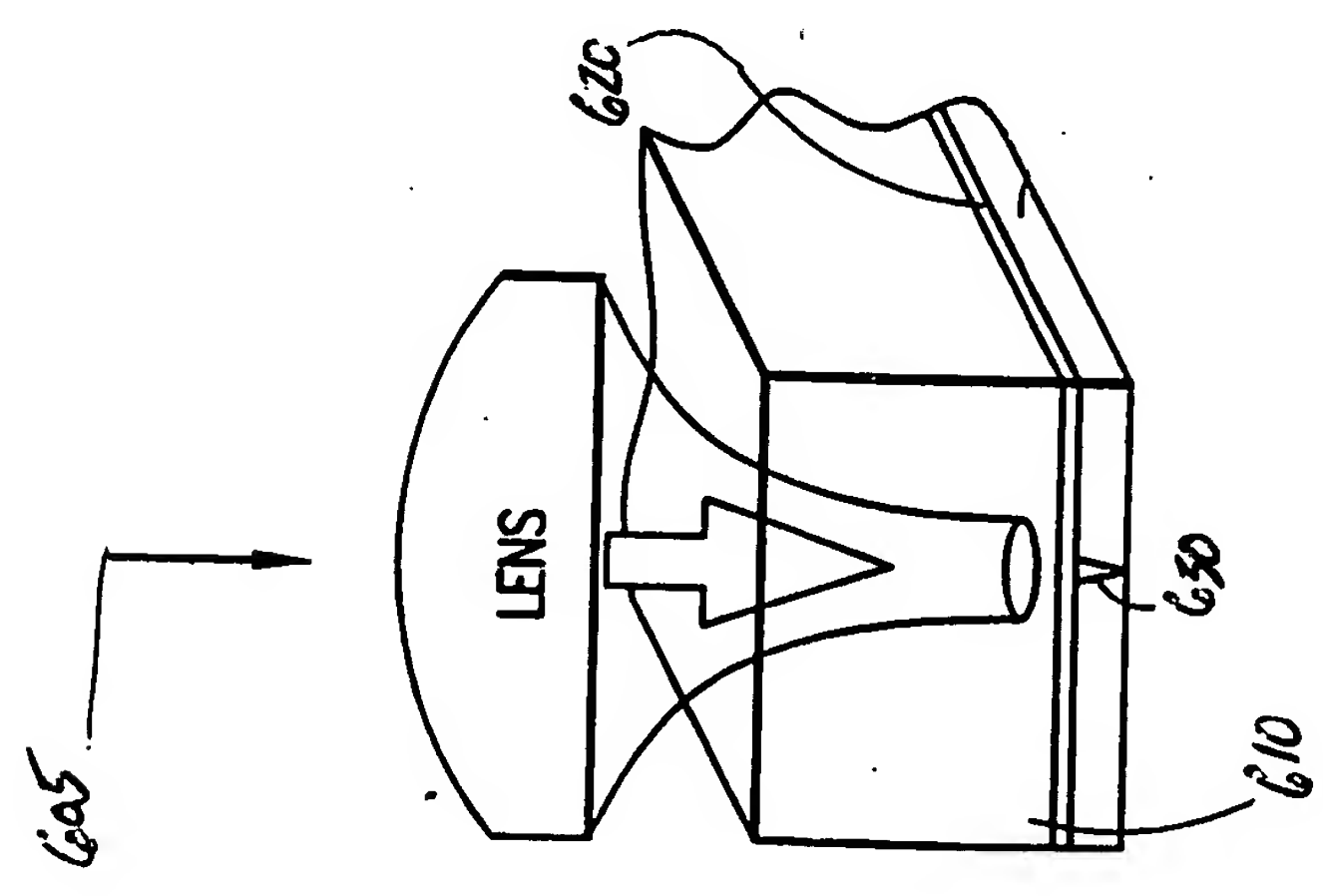


FIG. 6A

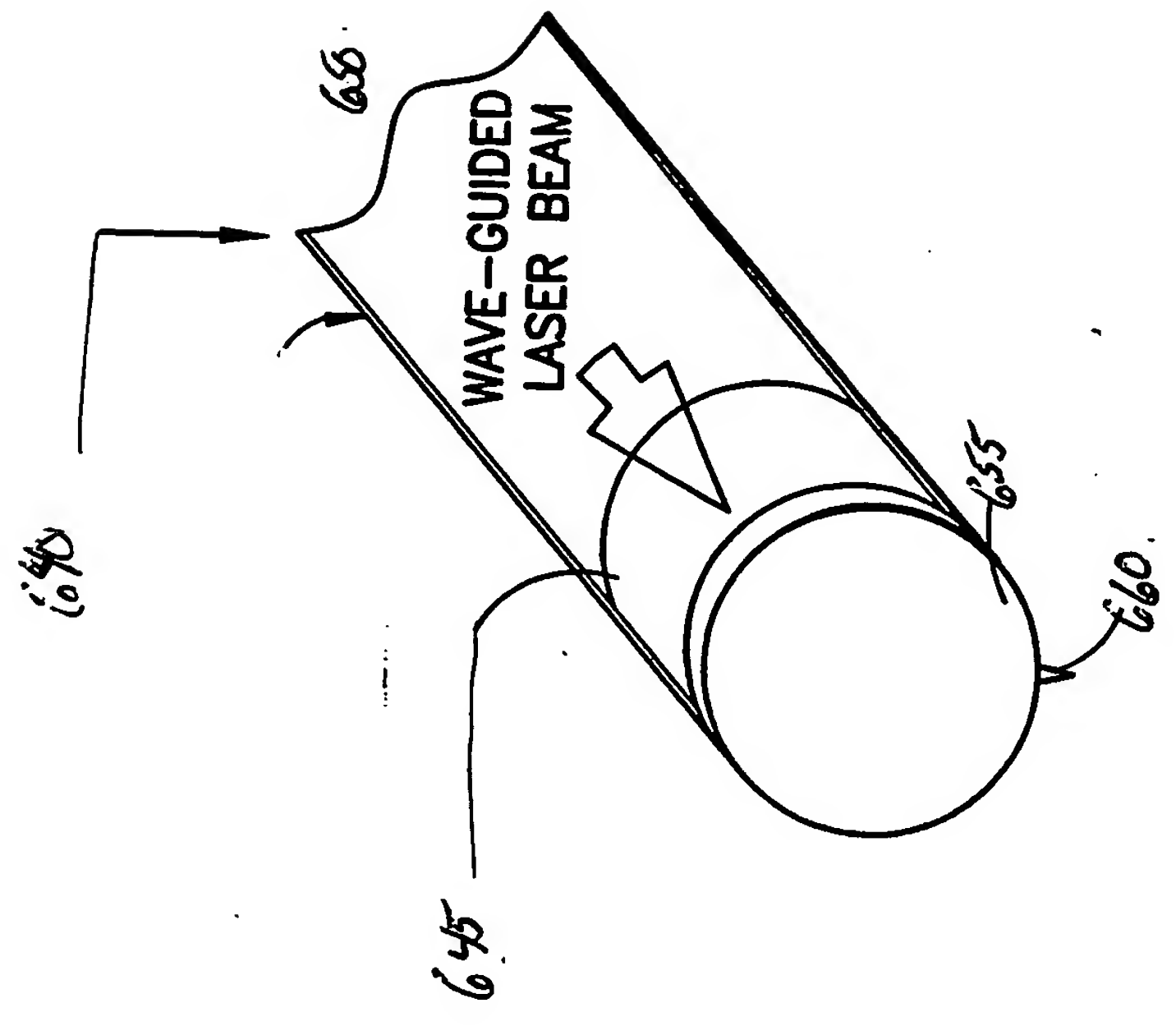


FIG. 6B

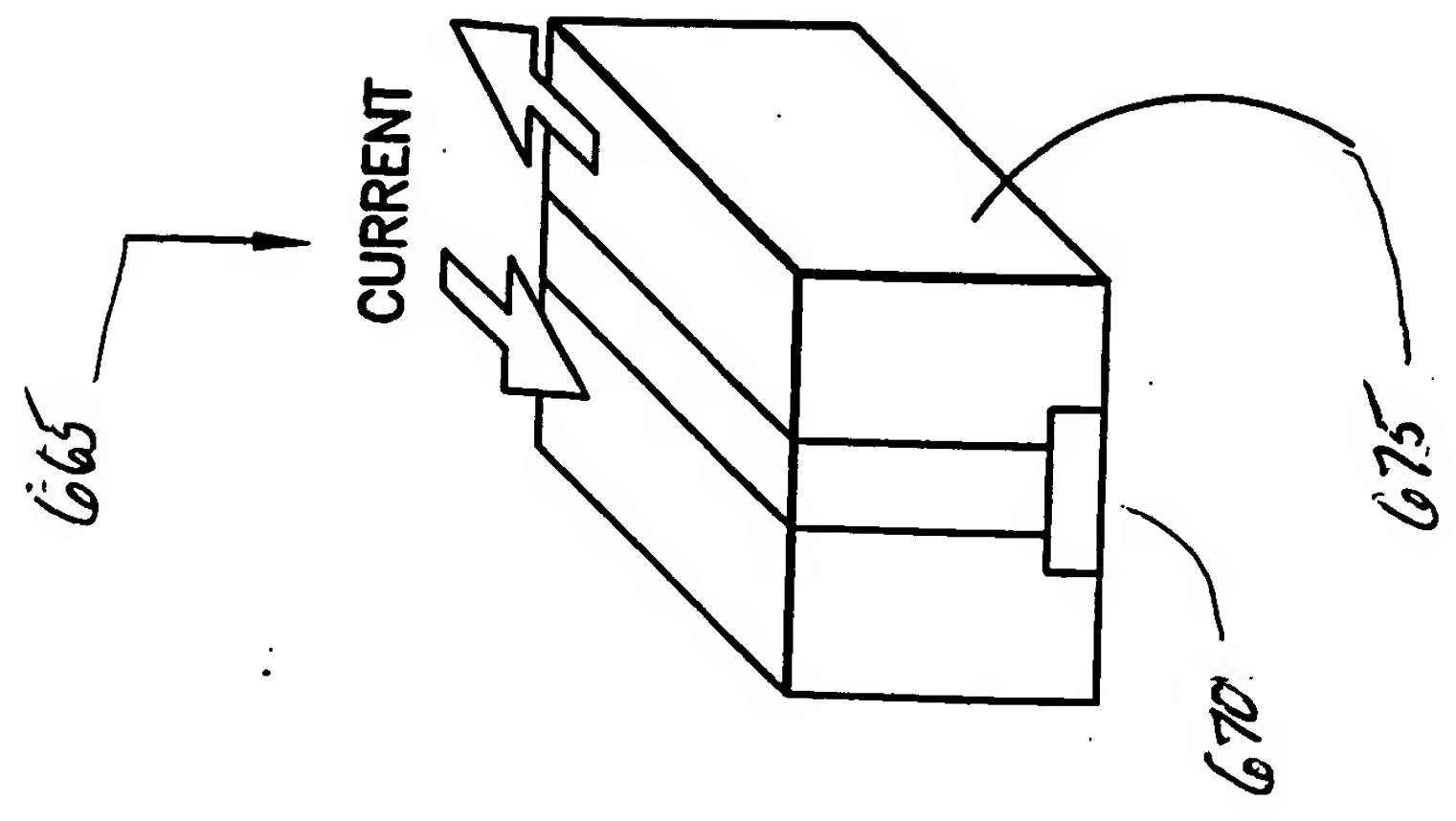


FIG. 6C



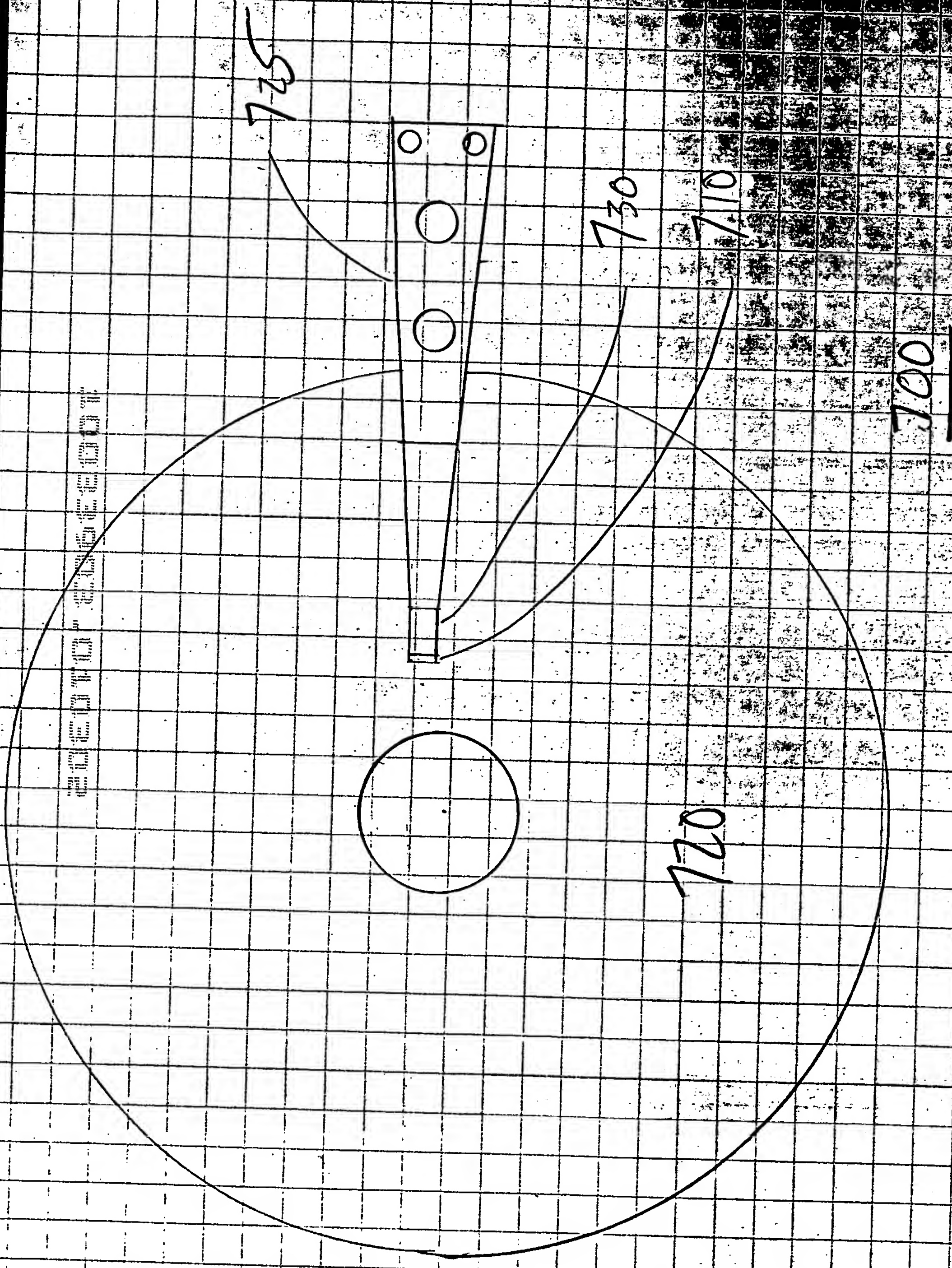


Figure 7